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In re Patent Application of: James J. Modliszewski et al.

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For: DELIVERY SYSTEM OF HOMOGENEOUS, THERMOREVERSIBLE GEL FILM

CONTAINING KAPPA-2 CARRAGEENAN

Examiner: E. N. White

SUBMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114 RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this Response to Final Office Action ("Response") in response to the Office Action, mailed August 21, 2008, together with a Request for Continued Examination and an Information Disclosure Statement. In view of the arguments set forth herein, reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims are respectfully requested. A two month extension of time is requested, extending the time for response from November 21, 2008 to January 21, 2009. Please charge any fees necessitated by this Response to Deposit Account No. 06-1440.

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